

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 10/596,600  
Inventor: Patrick Leahy  
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For: AN ANTI REFLUX SYSTEM  
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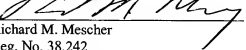
**RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL COMMUNICATION**

In response to the Notice To File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application (Filing Date Granted) mailed March 26, 2007, applicant encloses a Declaration. We are also enclosing an Authorization Re Deposit Account in payment of the surcharge, and any deficiencies in the fees.

Applicant respectfully submits that submission of the Declaration and payment of the surcharge satisfy the remaining filing requirements relating to this application. Applicant therefore requests that this application proceed to examination.

Respectfully submitted,

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